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January 15, 1999

Honorable Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board Washington, DC 20423

Dear Secretary Williams:

I have enclosed the original and one certified copy of the document described below, to be recorded pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 11301.

The document is a Partial Release, a secondary document, dated as of August 27, 1997. The primary document to which this is connected is recorded under Recordation No. 19688. We request that this document be recorded under Recordation No. 19688-V.

The name and address of the party to the Partial Release is:

Secured Party:

Fleet Bank, successor to National Westminster Bank USA 1185 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10036

A description of the equipment covered by the Partial Release consists of 20 locomotives numbered SP 7400, 7486, 9194, 9243, 9245, 9254, 9273, 9282, 9294, 9300, 9308, 9328, 9330, 9337, 9345, 9347, 9359, 9362, 9373, and 9385.

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A fee of \$26.00 is enclosed. Please return the original of the document to:

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A short summary of the document to appear in the index follows: a Partial Release by Fleet Bank, successor to National Westminster Bank USA, 1185 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10036, covering 20 locomotives numbered SP 7400, 7486, 9194, 9243, 9245, 9254, 9273, 9282, 9294, 9300, 9308, 9328, 9330, 9337, 9345, 9347, 9359, 9362, 9373, and 9385.

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**Enclosures** 

## SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD WASHINGTON, D.C. 20423-0001

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Louis E. Gitomer Ball Janik LLP 1455 F Street, NW., Ste. 225 Washington, DC., 20005

Dear Sir:

The enclosed documents (s) was recorded pursuant to the provisions of 49 U.S.C.

11301 and CFR 1177.3 (c), on 1/15/99

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Sincerely Yours,

Vernon A. Williams

Enclosure(s) 26.00

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## PARTIAL RELEASE

THIS PARTIAL RELEASE, dated as of August 27, 1997 (this "Partial Release"), is executed by FLEET BANK, successor to National Westminster Bank USA ("Secured Party"). American Finance Group, Investors Asset Holding Corp., AFG Leasing Incorporated, AFG Leasing IV Incorporated, AFG Leasing VI Incorporated, AFG Leasing Holdings, Inc., AF/AIP Programs Limited Partnership, by AFG Programs, Inc., AFG Aircraft Management Corporation, AFG ASIT Corporation, AFG Leasing Associates, by AFG Leasing Incorporated, AFG Leasing Associates II, by AFG Leasing Incorporated ("Debtors"), granted Secured Party a security interest in certain railroad equipment in a Security and Pledge Agreement, dated October 7, 1993, as supplemented and amended, and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission on November 6, 1995 (Recordation Number 19688).

Secured Party hereby releases its security interest in after acquired property created by the Security and Pledge Agreement, as supplemented and amended, for the 20 locomotives identified in the Attachment. Except as expressly modified and amended by this Partial Release, the provisions of the Security and Pledge Agreement, as supplemented and amended, shall remain in full force and effect in accordance with their original terms.

Secured Party has executed this Partial Release as of the date first set forth

FLIZET BANK, successor to National Westminster Bark USA

By: John Jopolora
Title: Assistant Vice Acesident

above.

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COUNTY OF Queens	Ś

On 14+4 Day Jan; before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared John Togolovec, personally known to me (or proved to me on basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Notary Public in and for Said State

SHIRLEY A. LOGAN
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 41-4955022
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## ATTACHMENT

SP 7400

SP 7486

SP 9194

SP 9243

SP 9245

SP 9254

SP 9273

SP 9282

SP 9294

SP 9300

SP 9308

SP 9328

SP 9330

SP 9337

SP 9345

SP 9347

SP 9359

SP 9362

SP 9373

SP 9385

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, LOUIS E. GITOMER, have compared this copy to the original Partial Release dated as of August 27, 1997, and found the copy to be complete and identical in all respects to the original document. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Louis E. Gitomer

January 15, 1999